

California Department of Education  
**Diagnostic Center, Northern California**  
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## Education Specialist

Join the staff at the Diagnostic Center - North in Fremont, California located in the San Francisco Bay Area. Become part of a team of nationally recognized expert educators working with California's special educators and families. Serve as a member of a transdisciplinary assessment team providing services to local school districts in 35 counties. In addition, you will have an opportunity to develop and conduct training programs and workshops for educators and families. Your skills and expertise will be shared and you will have opportunities for collegiality and professional growth. Travel is required.

### **MINIMUM QUALIFICATIONS**

- Masters Degree in Special Education or related field
- California Learning Handicapped and/or Severely Handicapped credential, equivalent, or eligibility
- At least four years experience working directly with students with disabilities

### **HIGHLY DESIRABLE SKILLS**

- Knowledge and experience with a wide range of educational assessment methods.
- Knowledge of and expertise with a wide range of teaching and behavioral strategies
- Experience working with culturally diverse populations
- Outstanding oral and written communication skills
- Ability to work independently
- Ability to work collaboratively within a professional team

### **RESPONSIBILITIES**

- Provides consultation and assessment services
- Administers, scores and interprets standardized and informal measures of assessment
- Composes meaningful and practical reports to be used by educators for student's ages 3-22.
- Develops and conducts training programs and workshops
- Travels throughout Northern California

### **BENEFITS**

- Salary range: 63,624-78,864 for 209 days (entry based on your present salary)
- Excellent medical, dental, vision, and retirement benefits (STRS/PERS)
- Opportunity to work collaboratively with highly competent individuals from other disciplines (e.g., physician, clinical psychologist, school psychologist, speech-language pathologist)
- Opportunities to conduct and/or attend professional development workshops

### **FOR MORE INFORMATION OR TO APPLY**

Send a letter, resume, and copies of credentials to:

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